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## **HPD Makes Arrests in Pharmacy Break Ins**

Harrisonburg, VA – The Harrisonburg Police Department (HPD) has made multiple arrests in connection with two pharmacy burglaries that occurred yesterday, January 28.

Officers were first dispatched to a commercial alarm at Medicap Pharmacy located at 1851 Virginia Avenue. While investigating this incident, another call was received for an additional commercial alarm at the Medicap Pharmacy located at 2091 Pro Pointe Lane.

At approximately 10:15 a.m., an officer located a vehicle and driver both matching the description of the suspects involved in the burglaries. The vehicle contained evidence linking this male to the crimes and he was subsequently taken into custody. A second suspect was observed walking away from what was determined to be a piece of discarded evidence nearby and was also taken into custody.

The second suspect was linked to local motel where officers were able to make contact with the three remaining suspects who refused to cooperate with police. Detectives with the Major Crimes Unit obtained a search warrant which was executed in the late afternoon. The three remaining suspects were taken into custody.

One of the suspects arrested, David Anthony Gay, 31, of Houston, Texas was found to have an active warrant in Texas for a crime similar in nature to those that occurred in Harrisonburg. All five men have been charged in connection with the pharmacy break ins. The remaining four have been identified as: Michael Darnell Campbell, 33, of Houston, Texas; Frederick Bernard Eli, 24, of Houston, Texas; Wade Whitney Hall, 25, of Houston, Texas; and Mustafa Ahmmed Smith, 21, of Houston, Texas.

The officers of the Harrisonburg Police Department should be complimented for their hard work, dedication and determination to solve these cases.

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